



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

T. YUKI et al.

ATTN – MAIL STOP MISSING PARTS

Application No.: 10/632,108

Attorney Dkt. No.: 103176-00003

Filed: August 1, 2003

Art Unit: 1764

For: VISCOSITY INDEX IMPROVER AND LUBE OIL CONTAINING THE SAME

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: December 11, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated October 30, 2003 (copy attached), the following is enclosed:

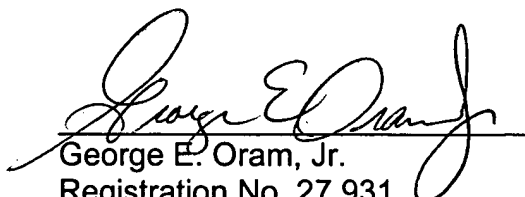
- ☒ \$130.00 as payment of the surcharge for the Notice to File Missing Parts;
- ☒ \$770.00 as payment for the filing fee;
- ☒ \$18.00 as payment for the extra claim fee;
- ☒ Originally executed Assignment with Form PTO-1595 and attached check for \$40.00 as payment for the recordation of the Assignments.
- ☒ Originally-executed Declaration/Power of Attorney;
- ☒ A Claim for Priority with a certified copy of Japanese Application No. 2002-226079 filed August 2, 2002;
- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449, and 4

references.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge that all of the requirements of 35 U.S.C. §111 have been met.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$958.00 to cover the Notice to File Missing Parts surcharge and the Filing Fees described above. Please charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2300.

Respectfully submitted,


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